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Y-M-B-O-D SUNDAY O-P-T-E-N

## Mainly About People

Mrs. Josephine Terry, of Washington, D. C., has returned to her home after a pleasant week spent with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hollis Hewitt, of Washington, D. C., spent the week with Mrs. R. D. Watson on Church Hill.

Mr. Adam Stephan is critically ill at his residence, No. 743 North Fifth Street.

Mrs. Richard Koch, of East Richmond, who has been ill for several weeks at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stephens, No. 620 North Sixth Street, is slightly improved, though still very sick.

Miss Annette Mercer Jones, the beautiful daughter of Mr. C. E. Jones, of Portsmouth, attended the Horse Show last night, escorted by Mr. John M. Campbell. She wore white hat with orange tips, black silk gown, with black pearl ornaments. Miss Jones will be in the city several days as guest of Mrs. W. J. Peyton.

## A CORN EXHIBIT

Not Less than a Thousand Bushels to Be Shown at St. Louis.

At a recent meeting of the Virginia St. Louis Exposition Committee it was decided to make corn exhibits of not less than one thousand bushels in the case. As an aid in locating fine corn crops and to stimulate interest in this exhibit, the committee will give \$20 as a prize for the best 100 ears sent in by any competitor with the understanding that all competing exhibits are to be donated to the corn exhibit.

Competing corn should be shipped in tight boxes or barrels to George E. Murrell, superintendent, No. 14 Governor Street, Richmond, Va., C. O. D., by freight, on or before December 1st of this year.

Corn exhibits of from one bushel of ears to a flour barrel full of a kind, and as many varieties as possible are desired. And as Virginia has a fine crop, it is hoped that corn growers, whether competing or not will send in shipments which in each case will bear the grower's

## WINS HER HEART.

Food That Helps Baby and the Family Pleases Mother.

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A New Real Estate Firm. Richmond has another real estate firm. Mr. Leroy D. Grant, who for the past twelve years has been with Messrs. Sutton and Company, and Mr. R. R. Harrison of the Harrison Realty Company, of No. 9 North Eleventh Street, have formed a partnership. The title of the new firm is Harrison and Grant. Their friends wish them much success.

To Inspect Police. The regular fall inspection of the police force will be held the first Thursday in November. The board will meet prior to that date to determine whether or not to have the inspection at the City Hall or the police stations.

## CRASHED IN A DENSE FOG

Ferryboats Come Together in the Bay.

## WOMEN IN FAINTING FITS

Rushed to the Rail and Attempted to Leap Overboard, but Were Restrained—Both Boats Are Damaged.

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 17.—Endangering the lives of thousands of passengers the Southern Pacific ferry steamer Newark crashed into the ferry steamer Oakland in the middle of the bay during a dense fog to-day. The Newark struck the Oakland's aft paddle box, tearing a hole in her side, but fortunately not damaging her machinery.

The Newark came out of the wreck with her hulls carried away at the bows. The deck near the apron was cut deeply by the Oakland's side.

On the Oakland the excitement was greater than on the Newark. The force of the blow was such that the boat listed at least twenty degrees. After this lunge to starboard, the Oakland recovered, but rolled to port, when the Newark backed her engines and got clear. As the Oakland rocked on the water after the crash, the crowd on the lower and upper decks rushed back and forth in a frenzy of fear.

Women fell in fainting fits and were rushed to the injured steamer. On the upper deck several women rushed to the rail to leap overboard, but were held back by the men. Racks containing cork-jackets were torn down through the wide length of the Oakland's lower deck.

On the Newark the passengers were more easily restrained, that vessel not feeling the force of the collision as much as the Oakland. Fortunately, the officers of the steamers remained cool. While the captain and pilots at their posts in the wheelhouses extricated the boats from their position the mates and deckhands with presence of mind, went about urging and persuading the crowd that there was no real danger. It was found that almost impossible to restrain the more excited persons, who let their fears run away with them. During the half-hour that followed, the crew had to stand ready, fearing that any moment some foolish passenger might try to leap into the water. Despite the fog, so dense the pilots could scarcely see the flagpoles, both boats finally reached their slips on this side of the bay.

ARTILLERY STARTS HOME

The Two Companies Shown Every Courtesy Before Leaving.

(By Associated Press.) HAVANA, October 17.—The two companies of American artillery which occupied Santa Clara boarded the United States transport Kilpatrick to-day for the return home.

The programme, as previously arranged by Major Brown, commanding the troops in Cuba, and the secretary of the general staff, was carried out. The company of Cuban artillery, consisting of ninety men, and 100 mounted rural guards, headed by the municipal band, paraded on the point at 1 P. M. Twenty minutes later the Americans assembled, marching up the main street of the city.

Major Brown was at the head of the troops, who marched in platoons and ported arms when passing the Cubans, the latter presenting arms. The Cuban band and artillery then took the lead, followed by the American soldiers, with the rural guards coming last, and proceeded in column down to the palace, past which they marched. President Palma and members of the cabinet, and United States Consul Squiers and Miss Squiers later reviewed the troops.

As each company passed it ported arms, paused and then marched to Caballero wharf, where the Americans lined up and refused admittance to strangers. The Cuban troops were excluded. The first public service will be held to-morrow morning, and in order to prevent trouble, the strangers will be seated between rows of the Zonistas.

Rain interfered with the programme of the followers of "Elijah, the Restorer." The street corner meetings for to-night had to be abandoned, and the Zonistas, instead of going out, conducted a prayer meeting among themselves in Madison Square Garden. While the services were in progress mechanics were putting the finishing touches to the baptismal tank which is to figure prominently in all the services.

ASK THIRTY-FIVE MILLIONS FOR SHIPS

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., October 17.—Secretary Moody has approved the estimate for the support of the navy for the next fiscal year, as recommended by the chiefs of bureaus, amounting to \$20,869,449, as against \$75,816,791 appropriated for the last fiscal year. The most interesting item is this:

Increase of the navy, construction and machinery, \$23,528,899; armor and armament, \$12,000,000; equipments, \$400,000.

PRETTY GIRL MISSING; MAY HAVE ELOPED

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WINCHESTER, Va., Oct. 17.—The relatives of pretty Miss Minnie Settle, of

Richmond, are terribly exercised over her mysterious disappearance, which occurred about a week ago. It is thought she eloped with William Little, of Washington, but no trace of either can be found.

## BLESSING OF POPE

Cablegram Brings Joy to a Million of Catholics.

(By Associated Press.) CINCINNATI, OHIO, Oct. 17.—Anthony Matre, national secretary of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, has just received a cablegram from Rome which he says will be received with rejoicing by one million members of the American Catholic Federation. The cablegram is addressed to Bishop Mesmer, Green Bay, Wis., one of the founders of the federation, and announces that Pope Pius X. "very joyfully imparts his apostolic blessing to the American Federation of Catholic Societies, and deeply appreciates the filial love and greeting of its members."

Secretary Matre recently sent a copy of the resolutions adopted by the federation at the Atlantic City convention, referring to "Christian education," "Temporal power of the Pope," "Socialism," "Divorce," "Catholic Indian schools," "Persecutions in France," and "Philippine Questions," to Pope Pius X., which has been duly received at the Vatican.

These resolutions were accompanied by copies of the letters of the President, Apostolic Delegate Falconio, Archbishop Elder, Archbishop Ryan, Archbishop Chappelle, and fifty-six other archbishops and bishops, who have expressed their hearty endorsement of the federation in the United States.

INVITE ABYSSINIA'S RULER TO ST. LOUIS

(By Associated Press.) PARIS, October 17.—United States Consul-General Skinner, of Marseilles, who arrived at Havre on the La Touraine last night, is now in Paris, making final preparations for the United States Government's expedition to Abyssinia. He expects to start for Marseilles in about a week. One of the ships of the United States' European Squadron will take Mr. Skinner to the Gulf of Aden.

The government has granted authority for a guard of twenty United States marines to land on and cross the French Somali coast. Thence Mr. Skinner and his party, with the marines, will proceed with a caravan to the Abyssinian capital, Addis Ababa.

Mr. Skinner said to-day to the correspondent of the Associated Press: "Our mission is three-fold, including opening diplomatic relations, the presentation to Emperor Menelik of an invitation to visit the St. Louis Exposition and to make scientific investigations in behalf of the Agricultural Department."

BRIDGE FELL WHILE HEAVILY LADEN

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 17.—One entire span of Jefferson Avenue bridge fell through this evening, with twenty-five cattle, two boys and a man on it.

One steer had a leg broken, which was the only casualty. The drop to the creek bed was two feet. A French army bridge will be replaced by an iron one at once.

Military Evolutions.

(By Associated Press.) FORT RILEY, KAN., Oct. 17.—The formation of outposts and patrolling was the manoeuvre to-day. The manoeuvre was commanded by General Fred. Grant, and the "Brown" army by General Thos. Barry. The manoeuvre took place on private lands in Geary county, on the Old Mormon tract and about five thousand troops early divided into two main divisions, were employed in the evolution of the problem.

Spain to Send Ship.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—A cablegram received at the Navy Department from Madrid announces that Spain will send a warship to New Orleans in connection with the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Richmonders in N. W. York.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Hoffman, F. P. Cooke; Fifth Avenue, G. A. Davenport.

NO LIGHTS AND NO LOOP-THE-LOOP

About five hundred people braved the rain and mud last night and were present at the closing performances of the Broad Street carnival.

There was considerable disappointment over the failure of the loop-the-loop to operate. The management of the carnival was considerably disturbed over the matter, and was loud in its complaint against the electrical constructor, who cut off the lights, without which it is impossible to present the night and sensational feature of the whole show. Everything was ready, but the lights. The constructor declares that the globes were broken and could not be used; the show people and the operators from the light department of the city, however, say that the globes that there was a superfluity of new globes that might have been used. The management of the carnival wishes it understood that it was not responsible for the disappointment of the crowd.

The show packed up and left last night for Raleigh, where it will set up to-morrow. It will be back to Richmond again next year.

GOVERNOR TO SPEAK

Will Set the Wheels of the Manchester Bazaar in Motion.

Governor Montague will make the address to-morrow night upon the opening of the Masonic Bazaar at the Temple in Manchester. He will be the guest of Judge Ingram. The bazaar promises to be a most successful affair.

Brought Back.

Captain Tomlinson went to Petersburg yesterday and brought back with him a colored woman named Little, who was charged with stealing clothing here. Tomlinson had just completed a term in jail for fighting in Petersburg. She will be heard by "Squire Graves" to-morrow.

Annual Meeting.

The fifth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of Virginia will be held November 6th-10th in the First Baptist Church of Norfolk, Va. The Executive Committee will meet November 6th at 3:30 P. M.

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Our daily arrivals of new Fall Furniture last week included Antwerp, Weathered and Mahogany Odd Chairs and Rockers, in mission and other styles. Also, Bird's-eye Maple and Mahogany Dressers, Chiffoniers and Toilet Tables and many other things beautiful and useful for the home.

Did you ever hear of or see a 9x12-foot genuine Smyrna Rug sell for \$10.00? We've got 'em, but—come early! Prices like the above is what's crowding our Carpet Department with orders.

**JAMESTOWN ENTHUSIASM**

Big Meeting There Arouses Fresh Interest.

PRACTICAL SPEECHES

Another Storm Booming Up the Atlantic Coast—The Truckers Are Moving Actively for an Independent Steamer Line to New York.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., Oct. 17.—Judge Watts, chairman of the great Jamestown mass-meeting Thursday night, declared that the meeting was one of the greatest and most remarkable ever held in this section.

"It was characterized by the earnestness of all the participants," said the Judge, "therein, and even the banquet, one of the finest I ever attended, was most delicious, while at the same time most enthusiastic."

"I cannot conceive how the effects of the great mass-meeting can be any other than beneficial. My interest in the exposition is growing and solely that of a patriotic, while at the same time most enthusiastic."

"While at first I was not in favor of undertaking such a stupendous scheme as the holding of an international exposition, I now believe that the people have been aroused on the subject and that they realize as I do, failure would be a calamity, now that we have gone so far."

FINE ENDORSEMENT.

"The endorsement given the plan by the Governors of the two States most interested in the success of the exposition, and the assurances of senators in Congress that the National government will extend aid to the exposition, as it has done in other instances, cannot have any but a beneficial effect in stimulating the interest of the people hereabouts in the undertaking, for it was the keynote of these speeches that the work is ours to do, and ourselves must subscribe the million dollars required by the first of the year, or else the charter secured with such effort will be null and void."

"The speech of Senator Martin, I consider the most powerful and practical aid to the exposition, for it was the people of this city, of Norfolk and of Tidewater at large, He demonstrated the need of individual effort and co-operation in raising the funds necessary and told the people frankly that they must not expect Congress to do more for them than they would do for themselves."

JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

"Following this noteworthy address came that of Mr. John Temple Graves, who stated that the advent of the great Cotton States Exposition especially interested me. It must surely have great effect upon the minds of his hearers."

"The object of the exposition was to wake the people up and I believe it had that effect. The naval feature of the exposition is bound to be its strongest point. Such a feature has never been included in any of the expositions at this date and I believe that it alone will largely make for the success of the celebration here."

Another storm is booming up the coast.

Ample warning has been given the shipping through the Weather Bureau, however, and it is improbable that there will be any wrecks of vessels outward bound.

The wires to the coast are down this afternoon and no information has been received from the Cape to-day.

The regular liners will not be delayed by the storm. They always go out unless it is positively dangerous.

Mr. Charles E. Ryan, general passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, and Mr. C. D. Wayne, chief clerk of the passenger department of that system, returned to-day from the annual convention of the American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents, at New Orleans. The next session will be held at Old Point Comfort.

"TRUCKERS' SHIP LINE." The proposition of the truckers of Norfolk, Nansemond and Princess Anne counties to operate a steamship line between this city and New York is being pushed by those interested.

It is the intention and desire of the truckers to be in position to transport their next crop to market in their own vessels. This, they believe, will be the result of their present efforts.

Terminal facilities, both here and in New York, it is understood, have been arranged for, and the charter of the ship or ships to be operated and the organization of the line are being pushed as rapidly as possible.

The promoters of the scheme have steadfastly declined to talk on the subject.

JAPAN AND RUSSIA GET TOGETHER

Former Makes No Point of the Evacuation of Manchuria.

(By Associated Press.) YOKAHAMA, Oct. 17.—A Cabinet minister says that Japan agreeing with the Marquis Ito, while stipulating the integrity of Korean and Chinese sovereignty, makes no point of the military evacuation of Manchuria, thus simplifying the negotiations. The bellicose rumors continue, but the reports of Russian aggression in Korea are proving to have been exaggerated.

ST. PETERSBURG, Wednesday, Oct. 17.—While expressing the hope of a peaceful issue of the Far Eastern crisis, the Novoe Vremya points out that it was breaks out the Russians will rise as one man at the call of the Czar and there can be no doubt regarding the ultimate issue. The Novoe Vremya asserts that the Japanese belief that Viceroy Alexieff represents the Russian war party is quite erroneous, adding:

"While the viceroy has been given extensive administrative powers, he is only the executor of orders of the Czar in matters of foreign policy. One of the Czar's chief aims, the maintenance of peace, is the fundamental basis of Russian policy, in the Far East. This has not been modified since the institution of the viceroyalty and the holder of the post cannot depart from the very clearly defined policy of the Russian government, which has no other object than the peaceful prosperity of the state."

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